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and John Winterton. The second irrigation company was the Creek Canal Co., which was actually built to bring water to but was also extended on to Charleston. This system was en- in 1895 and became a major water distribution system to Charles- the third irrigation company organized was the Charleston Lower system which was begun in the year 1887 by Joseph R. Murdock mpleted for use in June, 1888. These three systems still supply on waters to Charleston today.

arly in Charleston's history a store was built by Nymphas C. Mur- The first meat market was opened in 1880 by George Smith. He aught and sold produce, hay, grain, butter and eggs. For many Mr. Smith drove a wagon to Park City and often to Salt Lake o peddle his merchandise.

George T. Baker, who had come to Charleston from American Fork h County opened the first blacksmith shop in 1884 and success- perated it for many years.

the first cooperative store in Wasatch County was built in Charles- Joseph R. Murdock, and grew to have the largest volume of a of any store in the valley.



The Charleston Co-Operative Store, established by Joseph R. Murdock. This was the first co-op store in the valley and grew to have the largest business volume of any store in the county at that time.

1894 George Daybell built a small creamery on his farm and d it there until business became too active to carry on in the build- ere. Mr. Daybell persuaded Joseph R. Murdock to buy shares in iness and the two men built a large structure and began operating arleston Co-Operative Creamery. The business grew rapidly until